# MANILA WAR

Brave Defense of the City by the and the wounded at 19th This was American Soldiers and Sailors.

## FILIPINO INSURGENTS DRIVEN BACK

Fierce Fighting Saturday Night and All Day Sunday -- American Loss, 22 Killed and 175 Wounded -- Admiral Dewey's Ships Did Effective Work--All was Quiet Sunday Night.

prevails.

Important Arrest.

MANILA, February 6 .-- It was

known here that the private secretary

of Againaldo was in the city seeking

information that might benefit the

Filipinos. But little check was put

THE BATTLES.

in Special Cablegrams.

o'clock Saturday night, continued to-

day, although, as this cable is sent,

the fire has been almost suspended.

and the shots which are heard are

As the result of the engagement the

and wounded. while the reported loss

to the Americans under General Otis

is 22 killed and more than 100

charge of being a spy.

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In Battle at Manila.

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4 Gulder EDWARD, 1-t Nebruska Notations, coale, of Omala, Neb. HULL HARRY, 1st Nebraska Volnuture lotel clerk, of Hastings, Neb , tatact a prominent Lincoln

KASLLY, CHARLES, 1st Nebraska Volumeers, weathy stockman; of

LAUGAR DAVIS 1st Nebraska Volumeers lawyer was heutement in Accounts of the Engagements as Told Comany I State Miletia.

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#### How It Began.

MANUA, Peleumy 5 Sats P.M. -The long expected rupture between th America end the Frlipmos has Come at as an informer are now engued in states in a Philippine problem well the utilist expedition

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#### News from Dewey.

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"Mana, February 6 -The insurgents attack i Mantla. The Boston lear state for Rollo to relieve the  $\Gamma_{a,\gamma,m_{\rm dec}} = w_{\rm eff}$  returns to Manilla.  $Tw_{0,P_{\mathcal{P}^{-1}},\alpha}$  to wounded yesterday on board  $\tau$  . Mean mock, one seriously. 22. 11

#### Official Report.

WAShING LON. February 6.—12:15 A M -1 tentowing dispatch from Gestal (1978 as been made public):

Mar. . Formary 5 -To the Ad. para to rai Insurgents in large for other or attack on our outer has according evening, and renewed

Wete to theed.

At day break we advanced against Lard apturing several villages and the, defense works.

"The meargent loss in dead and wounded is large; our own casualties generally successful. thus far are estimated at 175, very few

"The troops are enthusiastic and pating fearlessly

with a chall has 1 They rep a id the experiment withpoints where the insurgents made any out drawing the scatters' are. But ttempt at a concerted attack they t furltime Corporal Greely chalbe god the Frappines and then fired, k ag as of their and wounding augreat loss of life. And or man drively afterward the

the American troops, among whom flag." there was the greatest enthusiasm all. The admiral, the correspondent during the engagement. They re- said, is favorable to annexation, but peatedly cheered as they marched believes in the gradual withdrawal of through the city, and everywhere the United States. He also says the make short work of the attacking insurgents. The latter have undoubtedly been taught a lesson, which, by its severity, has impressed them, and a

able force is not anticipated soon. When the attack was resumed by the insurgents today the Americans made a number of magnificent charges, which seemed to surprise the natives, for they immediately retreated, and their strongest positions were taken by the American troops.

During the heavy fusillade upon

#### Sunday News.

WASHINGTON, February 5.-Offito attach several times during the cial confirmation of the fighting at Manila was received at 10 o'clock this  $\Lambda^* = \phi^* \operatorname{clock}$  thus morning the morning. It came in the form of the em.p. 12 was engaged. All attacks following message from Admiral

"Manila, February 5, -To the Secreto courgents and have driven them tary of the Navy, Washington: Into the lines they formerly occu- surgents here inaugurated general engagements yesterday night, which has continued today.

"The American army and navy is

"The insurrents have been driven back, and our line advanced. No The earlier information at the war pines will establish with as much casualties in the navy. DEWEY."

department did not indicate that the promptness as possible in order that aghting had been serious. Secretary Alger did not hear from General Otia, but about noon he received an unofficial dispatch which put the killed at two and the wounded at 50. Three or four hours later another dispatch. not official, placed the killed at 20

nonncement, "Still fighting." The day passed without anything from General Otis. For 36 hours the department received no word from the general commanding. The interpretation put upon the silence was that the exchange of fire extended over a long line; that General Otis was at the front, and that he did not wish to make any report until he had reached conclusions.

No apprehension was manifested at the war department. General Corbin and several other heads of bureaus were at their desks. Details of business necessary to expedite re-enforcements, supplies and ammunition received attention. Men whose profession is war discussed coolly the probabilities, as they viewed them, of a "The navy did splendid execution 20 on the flauks of the enemy. The city long campaign, some said two years 155 is held in check and absolute quiet against the Filipinos.

At 9:55 p. m. the following telegram was received by the chief signal "The insurgents have secured a good many Mauser riffes, a few field officer. It was the first news received from the army at Manila.

"Manila February 5.-To General Greely, Chief Signal Officer: Febrnary 5.—Action continues since early morning; losses quite heavy; everything favorable to our arms.

"THOMPSON."

Colonel Thompson is the chief signal officer on the staff of General Otia.

Adjutant General Corbin tonight reon his movements until the fighting ceived the following cablegram from tion." occurred, when he was arrested on the General Otis:

"Manila February 5 .- Adjutant General, Washington: Have established our permanent lines wall out, and have driven off the insurgents. The troops have conducted themselves with great heroism. The country about Manila is peaceful and the city perfectly quiet. List of oneunlties to MANILA, Pebruary 5.—The attack apon the city, which was begun at 9 OTIS."

#### ANGRY AT DEWEY.

What the Admiral Had to Say Before the Assault by Insurgents. native troops have lost many in killed

HONG KONG, February 6.-The tollowing was received from Manila before the outbreak occurred:

"Admiral Dewey in an interview said the Monadnock is guarding one For 14 hours the insurgents kept up end of the city and that the Monterey their fire upon the American outposts, and the army protects the rear. He and throughout Saturday night the added that he sent word to Agumaldo fire was almost continuous. At all that if, accidentally, the insurgents entered Manila he would reduce it to mortar and stone. "The insurgents are were quickly repulsed, and were an armed mob," the dispatch adds, driven back toward the suburbs with "incapable of government, and are angry with Admiral Dewey for the Santa Ana was quickly taken by seizure of vessels flying the Filipino

> tablish a stable government in the Philippines.

The Filipino junta here has issued a statement that the fighting at Mauila fresh attack with anything like formid- was only a skirmish designed to infinence the vote in the United States Senate today on the peace treaty.

#### EFFECT ON THE MARKET.

rising in the Philippines developed a heavy London market for American securities. Later advices reported both sides the artillery was used with that the market is supported from

#### REGULARS TO GO.

But No Extra Effort Planued to Rein-

WASHINGTON, February 6.-The General Otis. It was pointed out that two ships were to sail soon from San Francisco. One is now on the way from New York, and it is ascertained that the department feels no doubt of the ability of General Otis to handle the situation without further assistance. It is midschappever, that the

lieved.

It may be regarded as significant that the department at this time should declare its intention to continue the withdrawal of volunteers as fast as they can be spared from active service.

#### In No Danger.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., February Colonei Ames has cabled Governor Lind that the 13th Minnesota regiment has had no casualties and that they are still acting as provost guard. The city is quiet.

#### ENGLISH CPINION.

What the Newspapers of London Say About the Filipinos.

LONDON, February 6. - The afternoon papers here agree that the Filipinos made a fatal error. They say they are convinced that the Americans their policy.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "Aguinaldo and his merry men have not displayed a clear conception of American character. We take it for granted that there will be no looking back now until the Americans have plowed a Philippine furrow right through, although it is just as likey to be long and troublesome."

The Globe says: "The American mistake has been in attempting to perform a big job with small means. Now this has led to the customary consequences. It may be safely assumed that the United States will place such an overpowering force in the field as to beat down any opposi-

#### Still Contrary.

WASHINGTON, February 6. - Senator Hale said at noon that he had not changed his views on the peace treaty.

#### Commander-in-Chief the Grand Army.

Passed Away at Washington on Sunday-Body Taken to the Family Home in Chicago - Funerai will be Simple.

WASHINGTON, February 6 .- The body of Colonel James A. Sexton, ommander-in chief of the G. A. R. who died of inflammation of the brain at 3:15 o'clock Sunday morning at Garfield hospital, was sent to Chicago last night on the Pennsylvania express leaving at 7:20 o'clock and due to reach Chicago at 9 o'clock tonight. Mrs. Sexton and her son, Stephen William Sexton, accompanied the

As soon as the news of Colonel Sexton's death became known the widow and son began to receive condolences there was an inclination manifested to United States is morally bound to estore of members of the Grand Army and officials of the covernment. The wor investigation commission, of which Collonel Sexton was a member, offered to arrange for a formal escort for the body from the hospital to the railway station, and offered a special car to convey it to Chicago.

Colonel Sexton was a native of Chicago, born there January 5, 1844. He any mortgage on the tabernacle. NEW YORK, February 6.-The up- in the civil war. He was a stove manufacturer after the war and made sisting of the following members of a fortune. He enjoyed many positions of trust. He was postmaster at Cin- the city for the \$700 balance: Mescago under President Harrison, His last official appointment was as a mission. He leaves a wife and nine children. Three of his sons were in the war against Spain.

It is announced from Cincinnati that Capt. W. C. Johnson, senior vice, will succeed Colonel Sexton as commander-in-chief of the G. A. R. He is now acting in that capacity. The war department has made no move council of administration will meet to toward further reinforcements for select Johnson or some other official to fill out the term.

#### SUDDEN DEATH.

DENVER, COL., February 6.-Judge Victor A. Elliott died suddenly today aged 60 years. He was a promiment member of the Grand Army and Leyal Legion societies.

One-third of the people who go mad

# promptness as possible in order that volunteers in the islands may be re-

Peace Treaty Goes Thro' in the Senate.

Senators This Afternoon-Quick Decision at Last and Now the President Can Act.

WASHINGTON, February 6.-Before the Senate convened today the cillo, the Filipiuo representative, arleaders on both sides of the peace rived here this morning, accompanied treaty manifested great anxiety. All by his secretary. They drove to the seemed very much in doubt as to the Windsor Hotel. Agonoillo said he final ontoome, ratification or rejection heard about Saturday's affair, after seeming to depend upon several doubt- leaving New York last night. It surwill not allow the trouble to influence ful votes. It was known on Saturday prised him greatly. He had no idea that the treaty could muster but 58 that affairs at Manila had reached the votes. Whether the battle at Manila critical stage; in fact, he considered influenced any of the others remained that they were perhaps getting a triffe unknown to those who managed the better. He says he left Washington treaty, but the hope was expressed because the authorities would not that additional votes had been ob- allow him to receive any cablegrams. tained. An early view of the situa- "I came to Montreal," he said, "in tion would indicate that the result is order to receive news which was not in doubt, but in favor of ratification. Several doubtful senators lined up soon after the session opened today.

Roach, Rawlins and Turner said the to wait. It is my present intention battle had not changed their views and to return to New York." that they would vote against the treaty. It was supposed that some of ratify the treaty today" them might be influenced by reason of "I cannot say. When I left Washthe fact that troops from their states ington I knew the friends of the treaty were in the recent fight.

the treaty having 58 votes with those considered doubtful, viz: Jones of ple of the United States were favor-Nevada, McEnery and McLaurin, able to recognizing our desire for in-Senator Stewart of Nevada has ar- dependence. The more I look at it rived. His position in favor of the the more I am convinced that the treaty soon became known. He had a sffair of Saturday was not the fault of elose occupations with his colleague, the Filipinos."

Do you com

tive session for final consideration of tion of the treaty?" the peace treaty. Just as the Senate he would not vote for it.

#### Later.

and that one other senator is expected more. to make the number 60 and enough.

The amendment was defeated and the vote is now being taken on the ratification of the treaty.

#### Ratification.

#### WANT JUST \$2500.00.

Members of the Christian Tabernacie Subscribe \$1800 to Help Buy

the Lot.

The members of the Christian taber nacle on Sunday subscribed \$1809 los is a part of the Eichinger estate

The subscription on Sunday morning was started by Rev. George Hall, the pastor, who announced that he would give \$125 if the congregation would raise the balance. He did not want was one of four brothers who served Eighteen hundred dollars was raised in a short time and a committee conthe church was appointed to canvass dames J. W. Fletcher. John Ullrich. O. Ewing, James Stumpf, Miss Ida member of the war investigation com. Humphrey, Messis. Samuel Funk, clerks. Three passenger and an engi-Norman Pringle, D. Brintlinger, W. L. Pierce, H. Bane.

#### EPIDEMIC AT BERLIN.

BERLIN, February 6.-Influenza is epidemic here. Many public officials are suffering from the disease. Half mentary committee, by a vote of 9 to of the guests invited to the last court 2, today rejected the government's ball were unable to attend owing to bill providing that all cases of trials the fact that they were suffering with for revision shall be brought before

#### CHILLY FOR QUAY.

HARRISBURG, PA., February 6. -The 17th ballot for United States enator resulted in no change.

One thousand tons of soot settle monthly within the 118 square miles

The Filipino "Minister" Fled to Canada

#### BY A MAJORITY OF 3 VOTES BUT SAYS HE WILL COME BACK

intense interest on the Vote of the interview with Aguinaldo's Representative at Montreal on the Engagements at Manila-Bo-Heves Filipines Not to Blame.

> MONTREAL, February 6 -- Agenallowed to reach me in Washington." "When will you receive it?"

"I don't know how long I may have

'Do you think the Senate will

lacked two votes. One reason why the The situation is almost unchanged affair Saturday surprised me is that I sent news to my people that the peo-

" Do you consider that the fighting Gorman the Senate went into execu- will be resumed on securing ratifica-

"I cannot say. The Filipinos, I a... went into executive session it was sure, did not start it. I don't say the learned that Jones of Nevada was Americans did so with the intentiou surely against it. Heitfeld also said of influencing the vote in Senate. It may have been started by accident in the dark. I trust it will not be as reported. I am expecting news from Since the Senate went into executive home. Until that comes I know as session it is reported that McLaurin much concerning the recent trouble as will vote for the treaty, giving it 59, any careful newspaper reader, and no

#### All Will Go Away.

WASHINGTON, February 6.-It is believed that the remaining member: of the Filipino junta will be en route to Montreal before night. Lopes to-WASHINGTON, February 6.-3:11 day sought to evade interviews. He p. m.—The treaty was ratified by declared that nothing could be said at

Appropriation of \$20,000,000 Agreed Upon by the Committee.

WASHINGTON, February 6.-The sundry civil appropriation bill, comtoward the purchase of the lot on pleted this noon by the House commitwhich the church now stands. The tee on appropriations carries \$20,000,-000 "to carry out the obligations of It is 82xi15 feet and is valued at \$2500. the treaty between the United States and Spain." Outside of this the bil appropriates \$43,000,000.

#### DEATH IN A WRECK.

DETROIT, MICH., February &-A special from Ilmay, Mick., reports a headend collision there between Grand Trunk passenger trains one and six. The dead: Engineer Fairbanks, Edward Reid and Thomas Stewart, mail near were injured. The coaches were badly wrecked.

#### FRENCH JUSTICE

PARIS, February 6.-The parliathe whole court of casestion, instead of before the criminal section of that

#### MORTUARY.

FRANKFORT, Pobruary 4.—General Count von Caprivi, former chancellor of the German empire, died this morning at Skyren, near here

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## **COURT MATTERS**

**Short Session Held This** Forenoon by Judge Vail.

### **ELECTRIC CASE RESUMED**

After a Recess of Two Dava-Entries Made Foday

Circuit court convened this forenoon at 9 o'clock and Judge Vail heard a few motions. An adjournment was then taken until afternoon, when the case of Lee vs. the City Electric Railwas dropped last Friday night and not this evening. taken up again until today. The suit will probably be finished in a few

The entries on the court dockets today were as follows:

CHANCERY.

Martha Keller et al vs. E. J. Roberts et al; chancery. Demurrer to amended bill overruled and rule to answer by mext Monday.

Leac N. Bricker et al vs. Florence Crosby et al; partition. Order of default and reference set aside and leave to amend bill instanter and rule to auswer by tomerrow morning. COMMON LAW.

Zach T. Pope vs Carrie F. Freedefendant and for costs.

Thomas Brunger vs. Drainage Commissioners of District No. 3 in Town of Friends Creak; debt. Domurrer to to the first plea and sustained as to others, second, third and fourth. Leave to amend second ples.

#### IN THE COUNTY COURT.

₩型 of P. W. Blankinship Admitted to Probate-Other Matters.

of the late P. W. Blankinship. The estate consists of \$1000 worth of personal property and is left all to Charles B. Blankmainp, who is also named as executor.

ney J. H. Latham appeared for the 35 cents. state. The jury before which the case was tried was composed of the following: B. W. Schenck, Ed S. Grav. N. M. Jacobs, Fred Baldwin, John A. Brockway and H. V. Kanaus. John P. Diling was today appointed guardian of John Lines, a minor.

#### **HOW THEY YOTED,**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 6. -- In the Senate the following Democrats, Populists and Silverites voted for ratification: Allen, Butler, Clay, Faulkner, Gray, Harris, Jones of Nevada, Kenney, Kyle, Lindsay, McEnery, McLaurin, Mantle, Morgan, Stewart, Sullivan publicans), Hale and Hoar. Absent and paired, Cannon and Wilson for, with White against and Proctor and Wetmore for, with Turple against.

in the Engagements at Manila Satur day and Sunday,

WASHINGTON, February 6.-Genaral Otis has sent a bulletin stating that the total killed was 40, in all sagagements Saturday night and Sun-

#### NO ELECTIONS,

LINCOLN, NEB., February 6.-No change in vote today.

DOVER, DEL., February 6.-No election as today's senatorial ballot. SALT LAKE, UTAH, February 6, -Five senatorial ballots were taken today without result.

The foung Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First M. E. church cleared about \$9 on their sale of pastrice and confections which they conducted at the millinery store of Miss Emma Williams on North Main street on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Wilbur C. Wood and Misses Eva Bixby, Mande Martin and Sarah Im-

boden were in charge. Colonel T. B. Demare of Union His name could not be learned. The Mills, Ky., has been engaged by the executive committee of the district Good Templars to deliver a series of temperance lectures in the district during the present month. The first lecture will be given at Marca on Feb-

Class of People

#### **PERSONAL**

-Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Patterson of Casner were in the city.

-Rev. Father Healy of Alton is in the city, the guest of friends. -Rev. Father Kelly is better but not able to perform his duties in the

filled by Father Murphy. -Miss Minnie Fremont has recovered from an attack of brain fever and resumed her position at the Linu & cruggs store.

church services. His place is being

-H. C. Husted, manager for David Belasco's "Heart of Maryland" com pany, to appear at the Grand February 13, was in the city today.

More snow fell today, to make trouble for the street cars and to gladden the hearts of the small bovs.

-Mrs. M. A. Starling is seriously ill at her home, 262 East Condit street. -Dr. John T. Miller made a professional call at Elwin this morning way et al, was resumed. The case and will go to Chaton professionally

CLINTON, February 6 .-- Mrs. William Welch, formerly Cora Bowles, died Suuday afternoon at her home in the eastern part of the city. At the

Saturday morning she arose and ing and apparently in the best of Lucy J. Foster of Topeka, Kansas. man et al; covenant. Judgment for health. About 11 o'clock her sister The deceased was a member of the heard a groan and went to the bed room and found her lying on the floor in an unconscious condition. She special plea. Demorrer overruled as continued unconscious and at 9 o'clock Sunday morning it was noticed that she was dying. At 2:30 p. m. she

About a week ago she had a slight attack of the grip, but it soon passed away. The cause of her death was convulsion of the brain. On January 31, last year, she was married to William Welch. On the 20th of last No-Hammer admitted to probate the will vember her father died suddenly of

#### DECATUR MARKETS.

The following are the Decatur There was a hearing in the county quotations for Monday, February 6: court this afternoon resulting in Grain—Shellabarger Mill and Ele-Carrie Ray, a little girl aged about vator company pay the following: six years, being declared a dependent Wheat 70 cents per bushel; white corn, person. Frank Ewing was appointed 31c; yellow corn 30 cents, white oats attorney for the defendant and At.or- 26 cents; mixed outs 24 cents; rye

Live Stock-Danszeisen and Sons quote the following: Cows and heifers \$2.75 to \$3.75, steers \$3.50 to \$4.25, sheep \$3 to \$3.50, hogs \$3 to \$3.30. Poultry-Quotations by Max At-

las: Hens 7 cents per pound, stag, 5 cents; roosters 3 cents, hen turkeys 9 cents, ducks 5 cents. gobblers, 8 cents, geese 5 cents.

Eggs-Receipts light, 14 cents per

Hides and Tallow-Quotations by Max Atlas: Hides 71/2 cents per pound, tallow 3 cents per potnd. Hay-New timothy hay sells for \$8

Pension of Gen. Palmer May be \$600 a Year.

WASHINGTON, February 6.-The House committee on invalid pensions has reported favorably the Senate bill pensioning General John M. Palmer says of General Palmer:

"Nearly always an officeholder and self now, in his 82d year, retired to private life without means or income, broken in bealth, blind in one eye and rapidly losing the eight of the other."

The report then refers to Mr. Palmer's service at the head of the Senate pension committee, his liberal treatment of the old soldiers, and vet pensions based on social position and political pull."

Under such circumstances, the report states, \$50 per mouth is all that General Palmer himself will approve. Accompanying the report are letters an affidavits showing General Palmer's feeble condition.

#### HURT IN THE MINE.

This afternoon late an unknown man was soriously injured in the new mme of the Decatur Coal company. patrol wagon was used to take the unconscious miner to his home, where he was attended by a surgeon. A number of ribs were broken

There have been numerous rumors regarding the disposition of the offices and the supply of drugs belonging to the late Dr. William Catto. Mrs. Catto has had a number of offers from physicians both out of the city and in, who are contemplating the purchase of the drugs and office contract,

### **WAS 94 YEARS OLD**

Mrs. Catherine Fleming, an Old Resident, Dead.

And Lived Most of Her Life in Ohlo-She was the Mother of Mertin Fleming of This

Mrs. Catherine Flaming, one of the oldest residents of the city, died at 5:30 o'clock this morning at the home of her son, Martin Fleming, 1963 North Church street, aged 94 years, 11 months and 10 days. The cause of death was old age. The deceased has been confined to her bed for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Fleming was born February 15, 1804, in Virgnia. She lived in that state until a young lady, when she went with her parents to Ohio, where she passed most of her life. She was the widow of the late John Fleming, who died in Ohio 21 years ago. Six years ago Mrs. Fleming came to Decatur to make her home with her son and has since resided here. She is time of her death she was 25 years survived by 11 great grand children, nine grand children and four children. The latter are Sylvester Fleming of Butler county, Ohio; Ohalen and Marwent about her household duties sing- tin Fleming of Decatur, and Mrs. Methodist church. She had lived a useful life and reached a ripe old aga

> The funeral will be held from the residence of Martin Fleming tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Bernard, assisted by Rev. Newcomer, will conduct the services.

#### CLEYELAND'S PROTEST.

NEW YORK, February 6 .- A petition signed by Grover Cloveland and 23 others has been sent to the United States Senate asking that body to re. ject the proposed cession of the Philippines and Porto Rico to the United

Gospel Meeting.

Rev. J. G. Stewart of St. Louis who has been associated with Dr. Dowie of Chicago and Rev. A. B. Simpson of New York, president of the Christian and Missionary Alliance. will conduct a meeting this evening at 7:30 p. m. in the W. C. T. U. hall, Library block.

The Grip Cure That Does Cure. Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets removes the cause that produces La Grippe. The genuine has L. B. Q. on

Zachariah Ladd, the aged janitor of the First M. E. church, who was stricken the first of last week with paralysis, suffered another stroke on last Friday and is lying at the point of death. He cannot see, cannot distinguish between sounds and has lost all sense of feeling. He may live several days but his death is momentarily expected.

Buckles s Arates Salve,

Buckles a Arnica Selve.

The Best Salve in the world for Outs
Bruises, Sores, Uicers, Salt Rhoum
Fever Sores, Tetter, Onapped Hands
Chilblains, Corne, and all Skin Europtions
and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect
satisfaction, or money retunded. Price
25 cents per box. For sale by J. R.
King and O. F. Shithing.

Rueben Nims of 1061 North Edward street was stricken with facial paralysis this morning and is in a of Illinois. The amount, though, is serious condition. He is 80 years of reduced from \$100 to \$50. The report age and owing to this fact doubts are entertained as to his recovery.

Charles Dixon of West Main street always strictly honest, he finds him- broke the little finger of his laft hand on Saturday evening while engaged in firing the furnace at his home. Dr. John T. Miller attended him.

> Mrs. Tobe Ward will entertain at cards from 2 to 5 at her home on West Decatur street on Wednesday after-

## his opposition to "large sentimental GRAND CONCERT

At the Tabernacle. WEDNESDAY EVE., FEB. 8.

Canadian Jubilee

> Singers... "BLACK, BUT COMELY."

11 ARTISTS, including "Black Melba" and Prof. Warner, the Great Slide Trombone Soloigt.

.Orchestra of Ten Pieces... Songs of the Sunny South.

Reserved Seats 10 Cents Extra.

Camp-Meeting Melodies. ADMISSION, ONLY 25 CTS.

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\* CLOSING SALE \*

Of Winter Cloaks and Furs.

Ladies' Fine Kersey and Rough Cloth Jackets, were \$5 and \$6, reduced to \$2.95. Ladies' Fine All Wool Kersey Cloth Jackets, full lined with fancy silks, were \$7 and \$5 reduced to \$3.50 each.

Ladies' Finest Kersey and Covert Cloth Jackets, best quality of a stin and fancy silk linings, tans, blues, blacks, castor, exblood and browns, were \$13.50 to \$16.00, reduced

20-inch Silk Plush Capes, heavy serge linings, fur trimmed collar, at \$1.50.

24-inch Fine Silk Plush Capes, silk lined, fur trimmed collar and fronts, embroiderel with wool braid and jets, were \$5, reduced to \$2.98 each.

30-inch Finest Crushed Plush Capes, serge lined, collar and front trimmed with fur, were \$10, reduced to \$5 each.

## A Few Fine Fur Capes To Close Out Very Cheap.

Fine Alaska Seal Capes, Best Quality Beaver Capes, Persian Lumb Capes, Fine Min k and Real Marten Capes.

### DRESS SKIRTS.

Ladies' Fine Dress Skirts, made of the best quality all wool serge, perceline lined, navy blue, green and black, were \$7.50 and \$8.50, to close now at \$3.95. Black Brocade Brilliantine Skirts at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00 each.

### WRAPPERS.

One lot of Fleeced Back, Printed Cloth Wrappers for 65c, regular value \$1.00.



# YOU WILL BUY SHOES

At Half the Powers' Price and Less than Half Price, beginning at 9 o'clock Saturday morning. This stock was bought at a very low figure and will be sold

### At Bottom Bed Rock Prices

Regardless of this greatly discounted cost to us We must sell all seasonable goods, as we need the room for our new spring stock which will begin to arrive soon.

WE QUOTE THE FOLLOWING

For Saturday, Monday and Tuesday--If they Last that Long-Ladies' French Kid Button Boot, Opera Toe, Louis Heel, sizes 3 to 6, AA to D, Powers' price \$6.00, for this sale..... Ladies' Dongo'a Button, Pointed Toe, Louis Heel, sizes 3 to

5, A to C, Powers' price \$5.00, for this sile..... Ladies' Dongola Button, Coin Toe, sizes 2½ to 8, A, B and C,

Powers' price \$3.50, for this sale..... Ladies' Chocolate Kid, Lace, Welt, English Last, Ventilated Sole, sizes 3½ to 6½, A to E, Powers' price \$4 00, this sale,

Ladies' Dougola Lace and Button Boots on our DOLLAR TABLE all kinds and colors, A to E-Powers' price up to \$5.00.

Ladies' Odd Pairs Button Boots, sizes 2½ to 3½, A to E. Powers' price up to \$4.00, for this sale.....

Our Ladies' and Men's Rubbers are going fast at

25c All Children's Dougola Button, sizes 51 to 11, all the A, B and C in the house at HALF THE POWERS' PRICE.

Boys', Youth's and Misses' Patent Caif Shoes AT HALF PRICE.

#### **OUR BARGAIN TABLE**

Is an established institution in our house, to be continued until all the desirable odd pairs are closed out. Our many happy customers of the past few days can attest the efficiency of this department.

The above extraordinary prices could not be quoted under ordinary circumstances. "When you are a hammer, strike; when you are an anvil, bear." Put in practice this wise quotation by coming early and getting the first choice of these bargains at

# **DAVENPORT'S**

Powers' Old Stand, 143 East Main Street. WE FIT ALL FEET.

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drassas, in red at yard, 5c. New Ducks, Dark #1, le Duck dols, navios ar yard, 10c

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Men's Arctic Rommy kind) Boys' arctics, 20c

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# Men's Suits.

We place on Special Sale 500 Men's Suits heavy weight, and all of our Broken Lots, a few of each kind, at prices that will make them go. All sizes, from HEILMAN'S, Square 33 to 46, chest measure-in Sacks, Frocks, and Double-Breasted Sacks and Prince Albert Suits.

Mel's \$5 and \$6 Suits	\$3.85
Men's 86 50, \$7 and \$8 Suits	4.90
Men's \$9, \$9.50 and \$10 Suit	6.75
Men's \$12 Suit	8.50
Men's \$15 Suit.	8.50 9.75
Men's \$18 Suit	

## Men's Pant Sale..

Winter Weight--Prices the Lowest you ever bought them for.

Mer - \$5.00 and	Sci.00	Pants\$3.95
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Men 5 5 (60) and	82.50	Pants\$2.15
Men's \$2,00 and	\$2.25	Pants\$1.60

### **BIG BARGAINS**

In Overcoats and Boys' Department...

# OTTENHEIMER & CO.,

The Reliable Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers. MASONIC TEMPLE BLOCK.

# The ARCADE.

Make Money by Trading Here.

Opening New Spring Goods. Cleaning Out the Winter Goods.

New Percales, yard 5c.

We have just received a shipment o, Plastas in spatierns in double-fold Dream Periaes Phese goods are Director in spattering in double-fold Dreson Perage. These goods are most and dericetyles, mostly dark in this shipment, and they are very good for airk waists and children's dresses, it real, blue and fancy effects, at yard, by

New Ducks, yard 10c.

Dara st. Hunks, in solids stripes and anis, rathes and blanks, will be espec-New Plaids, yard 15c. late 1 Book for early spring skirts

New Piques, yard 121c. 1 a rs ship seat on '99 Piques has are et art the fashionable fabric care to 12ht and dark styles, in cripes, gar wand dots, styard 125c. effects and yard, 15c.

Jeweled Side Combs. 25c.

Panels may learned Side Combs, a

Men's Work Gloves, 50c.

The good so tha cheap, flimsy affair that we defore a should a week. It Fine, solid, Minnesota Burban'es, worth the well a geomine call palm, has in fairt than his Aspersol tan, the solid palm, the solid palm, the solid palm, the polarity of the solid palm. fire parent than the is Ashestol tan, at a proof and is the best at proof and is the best had in with like, here 50c.

Men's Feit Boots, \$1.69. We have a few lases of men's feit boots and more that he are actions to close

t spree now, p. tr. \$169. Men's Arctics, \$1.19.

Man's good planty mot the cheap guests and arctics, will give good action flow marked \$1.19.

But a three 9 to Misses arctics, 75c.

Boys' Felt Boots, \$1.49. Our successful toye feit boots, worth \$2.00 a pair, to these now at \$1.49.

Cups and Saucers, Set 29c. Iron tone china cups and saucers plain, white most energhody gets 50c a set, here set . 9.

New Ginghams, 10c.

on effective aborn

New and dainty styles in draw ging hams, in medium and light styles, the famous Parkhill goods, yard, ide.

Corded Zephyrs, 15c.

Corded zephyr gingbams, the newest and prettiest of the spring wash goods, leok like 25c goods, for 15c.

Cotton Coverts, yard 12½c.

A new lot of those cotton covert clot be make very serviceable skirts and many are used for boys dresses, wear and wash well, very serviceable, in medium and dark mixtures, yard, 121/c.

A small shipment of new double fold plaids, in the very prettiest styles for weists and children's dresses, granite

Grocery Dep't.

The best standard make.
18 POUNDS FOR \$1.00.

GRANULATED SUGAR.

POTATOES.

ONLY 50 CENTS.

KANASOTA FLOUR.

The best spring wheat flour that is sold in the city, none batter at any price. 50 pound sacks, ONLY \$1.05

in the city, uo... 50 pound eacks,

PRUNES. Big fat raisin cured California, run 40c to 50c to the pound. Per pound ONLY to CENTS.

LEMONS.

Big, smooth waxey Messines, as fine as is sold anywhere for thirty content dozen; our price per dozen,

ONLY 2) CENES. MOCHA AND JAVA COFFEE.

Warranted as fine as any thirty-fire cent coffee sold in the city, our price per pouad, ONLY 25 CENIS.

GOLDEN RIO COFFEE. This was for years our leading twenty-five cont coffee; now per pound, ONLY 20 UENES.

CRACKERS, SODA AND OYSTER. The same grade as all annil growns got ten seems a pound for, per pound, OHLY 6 CHEFTS.

Only one life to live. Only one stomach to use, Therefore put only the

You Buy THE BEST Groceries

best into them both.

#### THE WEATHER,

CHICAGO, February 6.-Illinois: • 2 Q | Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday, with possibly snow in the extreme south in the afternoon or tonight; continued cold; brisk northerly winds.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Elizabeth K. Bunn's recital will be given at the Congregational church on Tuesday evening, February

Smoke the Little Joker-5 cent cigar Geo. W. Ehrhart loans money on any goods. Collateral, best rates. mch22-tf

Wanted—Girl for general housework at 738 West William street.

You pay a little more for the clothes Dr. R. L. Walston, assisted by Dr.

Wilbur C. Wood, successfully removed a large abdominal tumor from Mrs. Henry Fank of Paus, at St. Mary's hospital.

All February magazines and periodicals today at the Delicatessen, No. 256 North Main street. We have everything in the way of popular periodicals. Many publications that other dealers have not.—1-d1w

The Delicatessen delivers Chicago and St. Louis papers more promptly than any news dealer can. -i-d1

California fruits at Glessner's, 143

Before having your rooms papered call at W. C. Pluck & Son's and see their line of wall paper, 109 East North street. -6-dlmc

Marriage Licenses.

Benjamin B. Hill, Decatur, 35. Mary E. Smith, Decatur, 32.

Remarkable Rescue.

Mrs. Michael Curtain, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement, that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption; she tion and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefited from first dose. She continued its use and after six between a maintaous and possessed the qualities and attainments of a true qualities and attainments of a true gentlewoman. She has been afflicted for the past year and during this time spent several months in the south at Asheville, N. C., hoping to benefit her licality. The funeral will be held from her late residence on Tuesday afternoon at She continued its use and after six between the past year and during this time spent several months in the south at Asheville, N. C., hoping to benefit her freely benefit and attainments of a true qualities and attainments of a true qualities and attainments of a true public series and attainments of a true qualities a Remarkable Rescue She continued its use and after aix bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework, and is as well as she ever was. Trial bottles 10c, of this Great Discovery at J. E. King's and C. F. Shilling's Drug Stores. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

#### MARKETS,

FURNISHED BY B. C. TLYGDE

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€10 £4, Hog receipts, 35,000; estimate 1, 85,933 Market steady. Light, \$3.59@\$3.75, Mixel. \$1.55.9\$3.85.

Henvy, \$3.75@\$3 67 4; Rough, \$3.55 25, 65, Retimated for to-morrow, \$4,95).

Receipts, 14.933; market steady to weak,

## leurisy

Pleurisy and pneumonia are scute in-flammations of the lungs, and if not promptly allayed, the worst may hap-pen. The celebrated Dr. John W. Bull's Cough Syrup speedily allays all inflammation of the lungs and effects a cure in a wonderfully short time.

r.Bull's COUCH SYRUP

Cures Pleurisy and Pneumonia.

Does are small and pleasant to take. Doctors recommend at. Price 25 cts. At all druggists.

#### **IRWIN'S** Laxative Grip Tablets ~

Will cure a cold in a few hours. They stimulate the liver to healthy action and act as a mild BATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

SOLD BY

I. N. IRWIN & CO..

Druggiats, 100 R. Prairie St., and 213 N. Main St., Decatur, III.

#### **FUNERAL SERVICES**

AN INQUEST HELD

Held Over the Remains of

Carl Sablotno, the Miner

WHO DIED SATURDAY NIGHT

As a Result of the Injuries He Receiv-

ed While Working in the Mine

—The Funeral This

Aftergoon.

afternoon and held the inquest this

forencon at the coroner's office in the

the negligance of : nyone and that

Sablotno was working in the custom-

ary manner. Dr. W. C. Bowers testi-

fied as to the nature of the man's in-

juries. The jury returned a verdict

that Sablotno came to his death from

wounds received by the falling of coal

while at work in the mine and that

the accident was not due to any

negligence. The jury was composed

of S. M. Holmes, F. E. Miller, Frank

AN OLD MINER.

this country for 19 years, and has been mining in Decatur for the past

17 years. He is survived by a wife

at 2 o'clock from St. Johannes Ger-

PERSONAL.

West Liberty, Ill., to visit friends.

this evening for Orange, California.

-Miss Lenice Crume of Peru, Ind.,

is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. A.

the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Wednes-

-Miss Minuie Fuller of St. Louis

-Mrs. Otho Lawrence will leave

Edward, Otto and Louis Sablotno.

ter and A. W. Heudricks.

and A. Morenz.

West Prairie street.

Mound on Saturday.

day evening.

of the money.

court house

Held Over Remains of F. A. Search Funeral of F. W. Hayden,

The funeral of the late Francis A Search was held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the family residence, 901 West Packard street. The services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Penhallegen and the burial was at Greenwood cemetery. Music was rendered by Mrs. Robert Mueller, who sang two solos during the services.

HAYDEN.

The funeral of G. W. Hayden was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at his late residence, 319 South Main street. Rev. Mr. Penhallegon and Rev. Marion Stevenson of this city, and Rev. Mr. Hunter of Clinton, will conduct the services. The remains will be taken to Shullsburg, Wis., and will be accompanied by Rev. Mr. Penhallegon

#### STATE CONVENTION

Modern Woodmen Will Meet Springfield on Wednesday.

The biennial meeting of the Modern Woodmen of the state will be held at Springfield on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. The business of the meeting will embrace the election of father. The latter had attempted to a head consul to succeed W. G. Dustin and the appointment of delegates to the interstate meeting which will be held at Kansas City in June.

The delegates to the state meeting from Macou county are as follows:

Decatur-J. H. Kingsley, H. W. Richards and J. M. Miller, W. H. Black and F. B. Easterly will also at-

Argenta-F. R. Querry. Blue Mound-James Gleason.

#### MRS. THOMAS MILLER

Died at Her Home on West Decatur Street This Morning.

Mrs. Thomas Miller, colored, died at her home on West Decatur street at 6:20 O'clock this morning of consumption. She was 33 years of age.

The deceased was among the most prominent colored citizens of the city. During her residence here she has made many friends not only among the people of her own race but the white people as well. She was energetic and ambitious and possessed the

First Baptist church will be in charge of the services. Brother Benson, colored, of Danville, Ill., at the request of the deceased, will offer prayer. Burial will be at Greenwood.

#### LARGE FEET.

A Mississippi Judge Who Thought They Were an Indication of Good Blood.

Judge Alonzo G. Meyers was sitting under a big tree in Brandon, Mis: ,, one fine day exchanging experiences with Dr. Hart, the minister, and some of the folks of Brandon. Judge Meyers has a Pollock. circuit which includes 27 counties and 19 of them are off the railroad lines once in awhile which he thinks are worth recounting This day it chanced that Dr. Hart's attention was attracted by Judge Meyers' feet. There was something peculiar about them, to tell the truth. They were quite long, but attempt to conceal the fact. Dr. Hare had very small feet and he was just as proud of them as if he described any credit. He had his boots made to order and kept them nicely polished and otherwise sought to direct attention to

his cute little feet. This particular day while the group was sitting out under the tree at Bran don Dr. Hart said:

"Judge, that's a pretty fair under standing you have there, isn't it?" The court looked at his foot rather

admiringly and said: "Yes, that is a pretty big foot. That was remarked to me by a horseman that rode down from Nashville with me a conth ago. He said I had a big foot and I said: 'Don't you plways find that good horses-that is, blooded horses you know-always have big feet?"

"He says, 'Oh, yes, that's the rule ' 'Well.' I says, 'isn't it true that jackasses always have small feet? "And he says, 'Oh, yes, that's true too.

After that Dr. Hart changed the subject to the prospects for a good cotton erop, which were not encouraging.-Chicago Chronicle. Pretty Petticonts

These grow more and more fuxurious. Some notable beautiful ones in white

muslin have pink silk lining and are covered with insertions of white lace placed horizontally; this is continued not only on the deep flounce, piped at the heading, but also to the waist. The silk ones, mostly glace, in light tones, which for the darker days are subdued by black lace, are made much in the same way, though where a year ago a dozen yards of lace were employed the dozen are needed now.—Cincinnati Commercial Gazette. A Change in Diet.

The Dog-Faced Man-Such a change in the Glass Enter! He used to be so grave and dignified.

The Snake Charmer-Well, you see he's been living on Bohemian glass intely.-N. Y. Journal. Receive no satisfaction for pre-

mediated impertinence; ferget it, for

give it, but keep him inexembly at a

distance who offered it, -Levater.

Eichinger Estate. S. S. Jack, assignee of the estate of Michael Eichinger, has led in the

ordered that the assignee should re- of the village of Casner; \$3300,

Born.

lakley on Sunday, February 5, a sou. To Mr. and Mrs. George E. Miller of Riverside on Saturday, February 4, A PURE GRAPE CREAM OF TARTAR POWDER



mors, World's Pair

#### CATARRY OF STOMACH.

A Pleasant, Simple, but 5afe and Rffectual Cure for It.

Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied cometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing; headaches, fickie appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure of this common and chatinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, Carl Sablotno, the man who was thoroughly digested before it has time hurt while working in the old shaft to forment and irritate the delicate of the Decatur Coal Co., died of his mucuous surfaces of the stomach. To injuries on Saturday evening. About secure a prompt and healthy digestion a ton and a half of coal fell upon him is the one necessary thing to do and and one leg was terribly crushed. He when normal digestion is secured the fell in such a manner that his pickax catarrhal condition will have disanpenetrated his body. Detputy Coroner peared. Roy Bendure swore in a jury Sunday

According to Dr. Harlanson the safest

and best treatment is to use after each

meal a tablet, composed of Diatass. As-

eptic, Pepsin, a little Nuz, Golden Seal Otto Sablotno, the son of the dead and fruit acids. These tablets can now man, testified that when the accident be found at all drug stores under the happened he was working near his name of Stuart's Dyspensia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used dislodge some coal, but did not sucwith perfect safety and securance that ceed in doing it and then while workhealthy appetite and thorough digestion ing under the coal a large piece weighwill follow their regular use after meals. ing about a ton and a half loosened Mr. N. J. Booher, of 2710 Dearborn and fell on the miner. Others who St., Chicago, Ill., writes: "Casarrh is a were working in the shaft assisted in local condition resulting from a negremoving the coal. John Behrend, lected cold in the head, whereby the another miner, testified that he was lining membrane of the nose becomes working near Sablotno when the latter inflamed and the poisonous discharge was hurt, and assisted in removing therefrom passing backward into the the coal. Gottfried Goralski corthroat reaches the stomach, thus proreberated the evidence of Sabletne ducing catarrh of the stomach. Medical and Behrend. All of the witnesses authorities prescribed for me for three said that the accident was not due to

> feeling. I have found fleel, appetite and sound rest from their use." Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, catarrh of stomach, biliousness, sour stomach

years for catarrh of stomach without

cure, but to day I am the happiest of

men after using only one box of Stuart's

Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot flad ap-

propriate words to express my good

Plumer, Jr., L G. Wheeler, John Sutheartburn und bloating after meals. Send for little book mailed free, on stomach troubles, by addressing Stuart Carl Sablotno was 57 years old. He Co., Marshall, Mich. The tablets can be was born in Prussia and has lived in ound at all drug stores.

> Union Mission This Week. Three meetings were held in as many

and five children, Frederick, Amelia, different homes. An interesting jail ervice with W. C. T. U. ladies Sun-The funeral was hed this afternoon day morning. Seventy-two attended Sunday school man Lutheran church. The services and Rev. J. G. Stewart, evangelist,

were conducted by Rev. Heyno and from St. Louis, preached to an interthe burial was at Greenwood cemeested audience at 3:30. There were good results at this meeting. tery. The pall bearers were Samuel Stern, Fred Behrend, August Behrend, Two pairs of shoes and five different Johann Grabowski, Fredrick Sablotno bundles of clothing were given to as many families and \$2.80 in money was

who were in immediate need, by our treasurer. At a meeting of the Mission Satur--Mrs. W. E. Redmon left today for day evening Mrs. Z. M. Aiken was elected charity director, vice Mrs. East, resigned. W. E. MANN.

distributed to four worthy mothers,

Comptroller's Report. At the meeting of the city council, which will be held this evening, City Comptroller Robbins will submit his monthly report, which will show the On that recount things happen to him is the guest of Mrs. Asa Howes of following: Receipts from general fund, \$5637.43; from street paving, -Dr. Swain, the veterinary surgeon, \$1009 96; sewer, \$148.66; total receipts made a professional visit at Blue \$7396. The expenditures for the month of January amounted to \$6188.02 and -Mrs. M. K. Logan will give the the balances on hand in the different -Mrs. M. K. Logan will give the funds are as follows: Park, \$121.43; they were wide and the judge made at first of her series of pupils' recitals at repairing paved streets, \$72.12; side-attempt to conceal the fact. Dr. Hare the Y. M. C. A. rooms on Wedness, repairing paved streets, \$72.12; sidewalks and crossings; salary, \$2381.85; cleaning crossings, \$704.80; cleaning -John A. Reeve, chief clerk of the streets, \$1258.93; public improvement, House of Representatives at Spring- \$1547.17; realth, \$928.54; light, \$914.14; field, spent Sunday with his family in law, \$105.11; police, \$4759.03; con-Decatur, returning to Springfield this tingent, \$281.09; fire, \$4598.76; water, -: streets and alleys. --: interest, \$875; rent, \$1425; library, \$320.03.

#### Sales of West Estate.

court a report showing the amount of! Equitable Building and Loan society money collected and on hand and of Peoria to Marguerite I Harkness, asked that he be allowed to pay a lot 15 in block 3 of Montgomery & dividend of 20 per cent to the nase. Shull's first addition to Decator; \$350. cured creditors who as yet have not Andrew H. Mills, executor of estate received anything. The order was of Susannah Bushart, to Lewis Bushmade as suggested. The court also art, lots 21, 22, 23 and 24 in block 2

ceive compensation at the same rate, Mattie M. Leach to James Withgott, as is paid administrators, 6 per cent the north half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of 38, 16, 3 east; \$1050.

H. A. Royston to David L. Gage, To Mr. and Mrs. George Wheeler of lot 22 in H. A. Wood's South Park addition to cutlots to Decatur; \$150.

> S. B. Knight Not III. It has been learned that the report

published in the St. Louis papers to the effect that S. B. Knight, formerly of this city, had been stricken with neart disease, is false. A response to a telegram sent to St. Louis by Mrs. Albert Barnes stated that Mr. Knight was not ill. Grocers' Convention.

left today for Galesburg, where they will attend the convention of the State Retail Grocers' association. The delegates will not make an effort to score the convention for Degstur next year, but hope to bring the meeting to this city in 1961.

Daniel Dineen and E. R. Culver

Council Meeting. The regular meeting of the city

council will be held this evening. It being the first masting of the month there will be reports from the various departments of the city business.

dad Deceler on motors close med 180

THE EVENING REPUBLICAN.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1892.

UNCLE SAM'S BIG GUN. New York Evening Post: The work of constructing a plant designed exmly for the assembling of the parts of the big new 16-inch army coast deme gam is practically finished. The new plant has been installed in connection with the shops of the United States arrenal at Watervliet. It was found necessary to build the new works, owing to the inability of the standard equipment to handle the

enormous forgings of the 126-ton gun. The new 16-inch gun of the United States, it must be known, will be, when finished, the largest piece of ordnance in the world. It will not only be longer, but weigh more than the great Krupp gun which was on exhibition at the World's Fair. So far all the forgings for the new 16-inch gun have been delivered, and the work is well advanced on the ascembling and finishing.

An oil furnace in which coal oil is used is one of the features of the new 16-inch gun plant. The oil furnace was designed not only for assembling work in connection with the 16-inch gun, but for general shrinking work required in the manufacture of cannon. The new oil furnace was crected after careful experiments had been made with a small model furnace. A great quantity of new machinery has been built designed solely for use in the ecombling of the 16-inch gun parts. In the opinion of the ordnance officials the new weapon will be ready for its trial firing by October of the present

The type of projectile designed for use in the 16-inch gun will weigh nearly 2300 pounds. It has been calculated by a well-known ordnance expert that the striking energy of the when moving at a speed of 16 knots

The trials of the new American 16 inch gun will doubtless be watched with the keenest interest abroad. Foreign nations have generally given up heavy gan construction owing to the inability to obtain the best results. The cost of the new 16-inch weapor, independent of carriage, will be about \$125,000. Ordnance is turned out in the United States today for about \$1000 per ton of gun.

Senator Berry of Arkansas, who of course is opposed to the treaty. opposes the treaty, he says, because he is opposed to enslaving the Filipinos. Among the other fool utterances he mid: "I will never vote to place upon any people a policy against which Lee and Jackson fought and against which Jackson gave up his life." This un-American ass probably thinks Lee and Jackson fought against slavery and Abraham Lincoln and his armies fought to prevent the emancipation of the slave. The cause for which Lee Jackson fought did not triumph and therefore this Berry is probably under the impression that Liucoln has forced slavery on the country. Could a man be more trifling with his

President McKinley is exhibiting commendable firmness and sound judyment in the position that the peace treaty shall be voted on without amendments or compromise and if defeeted by the small minority it shall take the responsibility of continuing the war until he can all and convene a special session of the congress-elect, when ratification will be a certainty. If Hoar. Hale and the little cortorie of statesmen who know more than the commissioners insist upon following Tillman rather than the wishes of the intelligent Americans the conntry can stand it as well as they can.

Senators Hoar and Mason seem to have forgotten that the people of the States in rebellion in the sense they put it as to the Philippines were governed without their consent, but as a matter of fact they had the freedom of the ballet, which the Filipines may have to a large degree as citizens of a territory. The declaration by the free sent of the governed has been badly construed by the anties in the Scuate.

The latest effort of the anti-peace treaty senators to stir up sedition has been in direction of claiming the extention of sovereignty over the Philipsince will open the country to an in-Sux of chesp labor from that country. There is not a single depth of infamy that has not been trodden by these ts of the peace treaty and they now bordering on the pit of treason tinue to do so whenever the opportun at the government, to carry their ity is presented."

General Miles after mature reflecm and a good deal of advice denies it he gots the yellow journals into a saind where they can call any cort of a liar he will want to A Regan's testimony to calm his are being taught English.

## Have Money

Your money may be safe enough and it may be drawing 3 or 4 per cent, interest but if the same money, or a portion of it, will buy you needed footwear at about half the usual prices, isn't it policy to invest in footwear? Some that were \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00, are now \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50.

\$2 Shoes \$1.50.

ton or lace, 10c Coin toe, best goods on our shelves.

\$1 50

\$1.75 Shoes 95c.

Misses' Black and Chocolate Kid Button Shoes. Sizes 11 to 2. 95c

\$5 Shoes \$3.

50 pair Edwin Clapp's Men's Shoes, 'Ideal Toe," Tan, Russia, Vici and

Now \$3

\$3.00

Five styles of Men's Tan Willow Calf. Black Mixed Calf, Ever Bright Kid trouble in getting fitted in just the style you want.

\$1.35 Shoes 85c.

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Ladies' Real Kid, lace or button wide toes, medium toes or pointed toes, flexible sole, patent tip.

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or Wax Calf Congress or Lace. No Girl's Kangaroo Calf Shoes, lace or button, new coin toe, good service-

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15-inch Combination Black Kid, with eloth tops, were \$3. 10-inch Black and Chocolate Kid, were \$2.50.

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Spring style, new toe, flexible soles, Vici tip, lace, D to E.

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Children's Kid or Kangaroo Calf Button Shoes, new coin last, sizes 6 to 8,

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at \$1.50 we offer a lot of Ladies' Button Shoes, with extension soles and pointed toes, were \$3.00 and \$3.50, and some \$4.00 ones in the

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Infants' Kid Button hand turned, al- Ladies' best grade Rubbers, Croquet or Storm style, sizes i to 4,

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Best Shoes made for Ladies, new spring styles, now ready.

Men's \$2.00 Shoes. 8 or 9 styles in Satin Calf, Congress or Lace, yard wide toes, medium,

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152 EAST MAIN ST. Sign of the Old Cobbler

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ruffled feelings. That porcelain bath von't do the business

Sixty thousand troops were sacrificed in the Chickahominy swamps by a general who took them there against the expressed judgment of the war deshot at point blank range will equal partment. Like Miles that same genthe striking force of a 6000-ton ship eral was continually criticising the war department while he was unequal to the task of pushing a campaign.

General Miles has expressed an opinion on the fresh beef furnished the army and now the old veterans would like his opinion on the chicken, sausage, jelly, pie, the "canteen" and other supplies used for "seasouing" the troops under his direction.

The fact that Aguinaldo has some senators in the United States Senate cannot be denied. But there are not many of them, though they make a deal of noise, which grates harshly on the patriotic American nerve.

There may be "just one girl," but General Miles will discover that there are several other generals.

JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

or be Guided by a Decatur Citizen's Advice.

omething new is an experiment. Must be proven to be as represented. Be successful at home or you doubt Star.

The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back,

A lame, weak, or aching one. Would you experiment on it. You read of many so-called cures.

But they come from far away places. It's different when the endorsement comes from home. Easy to prove that it is so.

Home endorsement is the proof that backs every box of Dozn's Kidney Pills.

Read thus case: Mr. W. H. Corcoran, of 235 East

Condit street, Switchman for the P. D.& E. R. R., says: "Kidney complaint is a very common complaint amour railroad men, the constant. jarring, jolting and jumping on and off the trains and the change of water in long runs no doubt all contribute to cause trouble with the kidneys. Mine bothered me for some little time off and on with pains in the small of my back and sides more especially if I worked hard or did much steeping. In addition the kidney secretions were highly colored plainly indicating what caused the trouble. Last spring, 1897, I had a bad spell of it and Doan's Kidnev Pills were brought to my attention. I got a box at a drug store and took them. Gradually the pain began to leave and before I had taken the entire box I was wholly free from it. and the kidney secretions were normal. I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills on every occasion and I will con-

Doan's Kidney Pills for sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Mailed by Foster Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U.S. Remember the reported interviews in New York, the name Doan's and take no substi-

The policemen of the city of Mexico

PUNGENT PARAGRAPHS.

Bobbie (reading)—"Pa, what does 'a better half' mean?" "Just what she tays."—Life.

Enough to Kill Him.-"Do you think Flammer will get over his illness?" "I hardly think so. He has three doc--Town Talk. She Couldn't Tell .- "Am I descended

from a monkey, ma?" "I dare say, but I'm not sure, for I never met any of your father's people."—Truth. Two Orphans,-"Conversation is only

the art of talking back." "Not much; conversation is the art of getting somebody to listen to you."-Chicago Rec-"Pa, is a man's wife called his better half?" "Yes, my son. "Then each of

rixth, wouldn't she?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer. Brown-"Milman seems to know a good deal." Black-"Yes; but of course it is impossible for a man to know as

Mr. Robert's three wives would be a bet-

much as Milman appears to know."-Boston Transcript. A Brutal Bachelor.—Aunt Jane—"It's so pleasant to have a baby in the house." Walker—"How can it be pleas-

ant when there is a continual squall?" Boston Transcript. "Please excuse William from school to-day," wrote the boy's mother to the eacher, 'as he sat up late last night studying his lessons and is too sleepy

to come to-day."—North American. Contingent Circumstances. — "Has Mr. Bilden a good memory?" "Well," replied the discreet friend; "I must say lt depends somewhat on whether he's owing of collecting." -- Washington

Up in Fractions.-Mamma-"Bessie. many sisters has your new play-Bessie-"He has one, mamma mate?" He tried to fool me by saying that he had two half sisters, but he didn't know that I've studied arithmetic."—Tacoms

UNLUCKY CHINESE EDITORS.

The Tyrannical Empress Has Suppressed All Newspapers is the Empire.

Empresa Tze Hsi has suppressed all newspapers in China. There were 56, though of these those in foreign hands cannot be stopped. The imperial decree of October 9 was as follows: "As newspapers only serve to excite the masses to subsert the present order of things, and the editors concerned come from the dregs of the literary classes, no good can be served by the continuation of such dangerous instruments, and we hereby command the entire suppression and sealing up of all news papers published within the empire, while the editors connected with them are to be arrested and punished with the utmost severity of the law."

Now, with four or five exceptions, these papers have been very well conducted, and certainly in some cases Chinese editors may take rank among quite the best people in China." One, who was merely the editor of a local paper till then had been tutor to the children of Chang Chili Tung, the one incorruptible viceroy. Yet these men, and for no other offense than that of being newspaper editors, are to be punished with the utmost severity of the law, and this by the arbitrary will of a woman, hated throughout China, who has summarily deposed her adopted son

and made herself ruler in his place lang, the modern sage, who has only escaped beheading through the pro-tection of an English man-of-war, begs the English people to take steps for the protection of the relatives of one of these editors, Liang, the editor of Chinese Progress. He has himself .caped into hiding somewhere or other. but by Chinese usage all the relations of a criminal are reckoned criminals. even to the ninth degree; and Mr.

brother and nephew have been seized by the officials. Mr. Kang's own whole family fled in the night from their home across the Pearl river, at Canton, before officials arrived to seize them; though how a whole clan can succeed in remaining hidden it is difficult to understand, unless under the protection of the British flag at Hong-Kong. His brother, of course, was among the first six leaders beheaded at Peking .-St. James' Gazette.

A Woman Highway Robber.

According to a recent report from Russia, there is a professional highway voman in that country, whose name is given as Barbara Damberia. She is said to be dashing and beautiful, and cide like a centaur. In describing her marksmanship the statement is made that she can scallop the edge of a tiny Russian coin with rifle bullets at any range within sight. She is also dulinguished for her courtly manners, and, like all famous highwaymen, she robs only the rich, giving liberally to the poor. She avoids all possibility of the shedding of blood, and, although she wears men's clothes, her voice and beauty declare her to be a woman. The people in the neighborhood in which she carries on her trade are enthusiastic in their praise of this woman footpad.—N. Y. Tribune.

Getting Rid of Friction A novel invention has been exhibited before a large number of persons by J. M. Alves, a Russian civil engineer in St. Petersburg. With this invention he proposes to revolutionize wheel locoof any vehicle friction is reduced to its lowest possible limit. To the amazement of the spectator, an ordinary horse easily drew a wagon loaded with 21/2 tons of goods. The mechanism of this device was kept secret, the wheels being covered with a wooden framework This precaution on the part of the inrentor it was explained, was because he had just applied for a patent and did not wish his invention made public until it had been protected by the patent -Chicago Chronicle,

#### CANADIANS IN NEW YORK.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 4.-The American side of the high joint commission met today and went over the work in hand, hearing reports of progress from sub-committees. The Canadian members went to New York to meet members of the Canadian cabinet there.

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For thirty years Bothesda Mineral Spring Water has been used with marked results in diseases of Kidneys and has cured thousands upon thousands. We will be glad to send you our valuable book "Bethesda," which will give you fuller particulars than we can put in this space. If you have indigestion, headache, pains in back or groin are nervous and irritable, sleep badly, these are symptoms which demand prompt attention. Bethesis is sold in sealed half-gallon bottles only. Write today to A. M. JONES, President. Betheeda Mineral Spring Co., Waukssha, Wis.

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THE WAYS OF VERGERA

Worthy Clean, Says This Will Whose Intelligence Is Much Haligned.

If in the books of a decide or two ago a verger was mentioned it was only to a, ds but make fun of him Thackeraj had small respect for the worthy class and Dickone none at all, and the feebler novelists imitated their masters Professedly were to be | serious writers were nearly as bad; a verger was supposed to be synonymous with ignorance and pretension Perthat sona"y I am inclined to think vergers a tuch maligned class. I have met with

grorance among them, but the cases are so few that the fingers of one hand would be sufficient to enumerate them; I have far oftener met with knowledge pard enthusiasm that have put me to

Let me give one instance: Once at I ly I remarked to the then verger when I had seen a great deal, making my modest offering as I spoke, that as I had to get across London and catch a train to the west I must go The verger grapped me by the arm. "Young man" said he your train may be late, and if jon mass it you can be town but God Almighty may never give you another chance of seeing Ely cathedral." Of course I stopped, and their see I lost my train. The trouble their knowl. you miss it you can get a bed in the edge has struck me with amazement. There is one who, saving up his scanty wages has made himself personally acquainted with the great continental fanes which were built about the same time and in similar style to the cathe-

drai he so delightfully describes.

I have frequently had vergers willing to show me round during the hours the building was supposed to be closed, and even to light up parts in order that I might be better able to appreciate some detail or other On one point I have found vergers, as a rule, very bigoted I have never met with one who h is not affirmed that, taken as a whole, his church was the most interesting and instructive in the kingdom. This jealousy is occasionally amusing In a certain southern town there are two churches The principal one is the old er but less interesting. A friend asked the verger of the old church whether the other was worth seeing Reluctantly he admitted "It might be, but," he added with glee, "it ain't got no Vorman arches." Custodians have sometimes odd ideas. One I knew had mide a discovery that had got into the papers One day he got a letter desiting to see these objects, with a view of purchasing, it was signed by the respected head of the British museum, and of course on official paper a respectable chap, do you think?" he "I don't think much of asked me

shows, and I've no faith in London chaps" -Church Gazette DISLIKE UMBRELLAS.

Why Cilakin Coats, or "Slickers," Became Popular in Carbonate, Colorado.

"Gamblers are notoriously superstitious," said a veteran sport who is staying in New Orleans during the win ter races, "and a thousand stories are told of their eccentricities in that line The queerest thing that I know per sonally to be a fact occurred in 1878 in a Colorado mining camp called Carbon-ate It was a wild, woolly place and oractically run by the tough element Of course there was plenty of gambling, and one evening a stranger carrying an umbrella walked into a place where a fare outfit was in full blast.

"Happening to notice that one of the ribs of the umbrella was sprung he thoughtlessly opened it right over the head of a player. The man glared around, and, whipping out a pistol, shot the stranger dead. He was arrestcd and taken before a self-appointed judge who was also proprietor of a keno room The prisoner admitted the deed but pleaded extreme provocation. The opening of the umbrella over the head of one who is playing fare, he explained was, as everybody knew a hoodoo for life and doomed its victim to a career of uninterrupted disaster way to remove the curse was to instantty slay the owner of the umbrella. The judge listened with sagacious nods and then sert for a number of hoodoo ca weapons | perts-in other words, the principal a total gamblers in town. They turned pale at the very mention of umbiellas and declared on oath that such an episode is the one described would undoubted ly biight unaboca sent ie life

magistrate charged the jury that they taken to the home of her parents S were the sole judges of the facts and Potter ind wife on Sanday le hoor on and they prompt a returned a serant of austiflable homicide. After a rot that umbrellas became unpopular 12 Cirbonite and odekin coats or shek ers as they are called in the west en-He is an loved a great boom "- St Louis Globe Democrat

Worship of the Piger.

the carries of the tiger was carried the adjusters in age where a her Despates of Decitur bords as an offering to Le tiger god while all the comen assembled and did lowa, is visiting relatives at Maron, bor bus the den children and placing each a small his old home in Kentucky. t e killet or con on the tiger's body or in front of t be left on its jims. For these primitive people or that the look on the tiger us their god-und is not det small maric' seeing what a wondrous the discover a constitute he is with ma chiese symticity of form and mighty strength. it, the can before which man seems an ineignifi-tived for the cant pupper — Tropics or Snows," by the text bomb R G Burton

They Must Bathu Pupils in the public schools of Copenhagen are required to take three baths a week in the public school building, and while they are bathing their clothes tre stembzed in a steam oven. The Danes object to the regulation on the t who work for ground that it makes the children dis-

- Ch cago Dai y contented with their home surround-GAIL BORDEN

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Linn & Scruggs Company,

WATER, MAIN AND STATE STREETS.

The First of February is the beginning of Spring—By the Dry Goods Cal-

endar-regardless of what the weather man may say. The number of sales in distinctly Spring Goods during the last few days, shows most conclusively that Spring shopping has commenced. For to day we have some interesting news about the New Embroideries, Silks, Wash Goods and Wool Dress Goods, and a special bargain announcement of an advance sale of Reliable Graniteware in the

#### THE NEW Wash Dress Goods.

The Dainty Summer Wash Goods have commenced to arrive—began to get here last week and most every day's freight brings additions to the collection.

Marked advance has been made in the production of these pretty cloths during the last few years and this season the colorings and designing are something marvelous--and best of all—prices are exceptionally small.

Mullhouse German Organdes

—1899 styles — 100 Dress
lengths, no two slike—put up
in fancy boxes. Rich, exclusive patterns and 190

Madras Cloths, Cheviots and rials especially adapted to 

Mousselme de Soie direct from Paris—in 90 different de-signs made with striking fidelity to nature—high grade 

Mousseline Satin-Raye — an-other French production—an exquisite creation of silk and cotton — the printing, the thinish, the designs—such as only the French can produce —the bandsomest wash fabric yard .... 85c

#### New Embroideries.

Pretty Embroideries in '99 styles-a superb collection priced much lower than or-

NEW CAMBRIC EMBROID ERIES—for trimming under-musins—hundreds of different patterns—plain and Irish Point

One lot, 1 to 3 inches wile, One lot, 2 to 3 inches wide,

One lot, 3 to 5 inches wide, 100 NAINSOOK EDGES—already gathered—match patterns in Irish Point, Chrisenthemum, Forget-me-not and Lacs Ap

NEW BANDS—with solid edges—widths from 1/4 to 2 inches a yard at 5c, 8c, 10c and......

NEW RIBBON BEADINGSm yard at 8c, 10c and ...... TUCKINGS-Plain, Hemstitched and Revering

A SPECIAL LINE OF BANDS AND EDGES in patterns auitable for trimming infants' wear— Hematitched effects—a yard 10c to

THE NEW RIBBONS have begun to arrive and a brilliant collection they are—Corded Taffetan, New Stripes, and Dresden effects—all the colors of the rambow woven into '39 

#### The Spring Silks.

More kinds than we have the room to tell of-more different More kinds than we have the noom to tell of—more different color combinations than we've ever had before—in short the most brilliant gathering of Dainty Spring Silva that has ever been shown in Decatur this early in the season—and there are others coming—getting here a few pieces at a time—almost every day bringing us new beauties to add to the collection Foulards, Fancy Taffetas, Fancy Stripes, Plaids and Cords, Printed Chinas, Wash Silks, Habutais, Kakais and a host of others all indeagraphily prefits.

others all indescribably protty You are Urgently Invited to Pay these New Arrivals a Visit

#### THE NEW Wool Dress Goods

Buy your new Spring Dress now-then you'll have it made and be ready for the first warm breath of spring. Moreover it's economy to buy nowchoicer styles are here for choosing than after the rush of shoppers have been supplied and the prices usually advance with the season.

Ten pieces of the new and ultra fashionable Golf Plaids for Skirts — pretty, bright coloringe—at

New Fancies, Serges and Satin Striped Diagonals—the new Blues, Beavers and Ox-bloods 46 inch goode—at

Black Satin Brocades - new Spring designs-52 in. goods yard

VERY SPECIAL - A large purchase of new Spring Dress Goods—in a variety of shades and patterns—on sale for the first time at two very special prices 19c & 25c

The Celebrated Priestly Spring Black Goods for which we are sole and exclusively agents go or cale to day. For beauty or finish and wear-ing qualities these fine fabrics stand without a rival More and better styles than ever before and prices unusually low for trustworthy materials Prices ranging upward from a yd .... 750

#### Advance Sale of "Acme" Graniteware-the result of a special purchase from one of the foremost manufacturers in the country, whereby we came in possession of a full carload of the

absolutely reliable and well known "Acme" Graniteware at a saving to us of something like one-third. The goods go on sale at a like saving to our customers.



Acme Granite with beavy re-tinned covers—





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No 7 size, 29c 12 quart size only No 8 size 38C Acme Granite Dish Pass-

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## COUNTY NEWS.

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Mrs. William R Biddle, who has a case—sun de or manshaughter. The been scriously ill for a week was G, at the nome of Mrs D C Corley,

> Miss Kate Edmunds spirt Sunday and family Mrs G W Weyl was the guest of

her brother, Frank Cooper and wife, in Decatur, Saturday Will R. Biddle has accepted a posi

tion as compositor on the Herald Charle Van Hook of Wilnems.

obe saice to the monster bringing also en route to his home from a visit to Mrs Mary Grady, who has been

very sick, is improving Fied Renning of Mt Zion was in Maroa Friday

William Nelson has returned from a visit to relatives in Richland county and resumed work at Smith & Stouten borough's stable.

Mis. Ellen Graham went to Ramsey Wednesday to visit her son, E. Graham, and other relatives.

L W Morgan of Atlants and L. E. Newcomer of the Christian church exchanged pulpits Sunday Miss Julia Shewmaker was the

guest of Mrs. J. S. Cussius in Decatur over Sanday. Mrs. Frank Schenok will go to Mt. Pulaski Tuesday to visit her sister, Mrs. Ira Eminger for a few days.

Rev. J F. Clearwater and children have whooping cough. Quarterly communica stevious wer hold at the Fresbyserian abarch Sun

Mrs. Hunter Robinson has gone to Decatur to live with her sen, Mel

Mrs. C F Emery went to Pokin Friday to visit her sister, Mis Dr Charlton and family.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Grace M L church will meet at 2 30 p in Tuesday, February corner of Green and Edward streets.

The Dorcas society will hold a general meeting in the supervisors' room in Decatur with Dr E & Morgan in the court house tomorrow after

-Miss Eunice Scott is in Chicago for an indefinite stay with friends

-Harry Patterson, secretary of the Y M C A, is all with the grip

There will be a meeting of the finance committee of the Y M. C A at the rooms of the association this Diners, each ..... evening at 7 30 o'clock

The Elks will hold the regular moeting tomorrow evening in their hall in the Powers block. The exact time for the initiation of the class of six candidates will be decided upon at this meeting

-Mrs. J. W Holland, who has been seriously 111, 18 better The members of the Amity club will

give a pink domino at their next meeting on Thursday, February 16

-Dr W. C Bowers made a professional call at Sangamon on Sunday.

Oolds are easily taken and often de-velop into bronchitis or consumption. ano promunitis or consumption, could cure a cold promptly with ohn W. Buil's Cough Syrup, elebrated remedy is most en-nd will cure a cold at once.

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Iron Bed, white enamel finish, either in 3 feet 6 inchwidth x 4 feet 6 inch, only .....

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When you have a sick horse you do not hitch him up to a sulky and take him to the race track for a little healthful spin. You doctor him. You doctor him. You doctor him. You can a horse. Bicycling will make healthy men more than you can a horse. Bicycling will make healthy men more unbealthy; it will make unhealthy men more unbealthy; when a man has been living is too big a hurry, when he has worked himself out, when he has got so that he does not steep or eat, or rest, it is time for him to take medicine. Then, when he is braced up a bit, it is time enough for him to take to the brycle.

When a man's merves have an edge on them, so that the least little disappointment rasps on his temper like a file, when his stomach and liver and nerves are demanged, and he is continually gloomy and meancholy, he should take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It makes a man as hungry as a fisherman and sees to it that all the vital elements of the food are abasebed into the blood. It braces up the liver and puts it to work in the right way. It drives all bilious impurities from the system. It fills flesh, nerves, brain cells, asters and houses with the life giving elements of rich, red, pure blood. It makes a man healthy and then a bicycle will make him strong. Medicine dealers sell it, and have nothing "just as good."

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"Through your skillult treatment I am once more a well man," writes J. N. Arnold, Esq. of Gandy, Logan Co., Neb "I suffered for vears with constitution of the prostate and inflammation of the bladder. I took eix bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Pleasant Pellets and am permanently cured You have been the means of saving my life." A man or woman who neglects





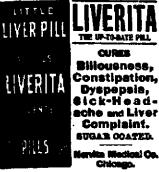
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and German makers to keep compet-stors out of the field. The largest of the English concerns, which also controls the largest concern in this coun- it costs but a trifle. try, has paid dividends of 35 to 50 per cent. to its shareholders ever since it was organized. The American branch pays even larger profits, but its shares are closely held, and no information concerning the profits ever reaches the public. The base product of the artiial article is salt or salt water, which. after reduction to the form of sulphate | East End Drug Store. of sods, must be clarified by expensive processes before it can be used for many of the purposes for which it is intended. Before it can be used for making plate glass the iron, which all | Martial. salt contains, and which the ammonia selt contains, and which the ammonia or leading artificial process does not eliminate, must be removed by the introduction of one part of arsenic to nine of sulphate. The arsenic alone costs at the rate of \$75 per ton. The native soda, having no impurities, makes a much cleurer as well as stronger and it available at the rate of \$75 per ton. The native soda, having no impurities, makes a specific for La Gripps, and it available as a specific for La Gripps, and it available as a specific for La Gripps. much cleurer as well as stronger and much clearer as well as stronger and and it; exhausting after effects. Never tougher glass, and it is even claimed fails. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, C. F. that it is better than the French plate. Shilling, East End Drug Store. that it is better than the French plate. The Laramie deposits, which are the purest as well as the most accessible in the state, passed into the control of e of the largest firms of importers of heavy chemicals west of New York several years ago, and this firm recently transferred its holdings to a Chicago corporation, which is preparing to vasily increase the output by the erec-tion of a plant capable of turning out 1,200 tons of product per day. The extreme limit of the plant now on the ground is 150 tons per day.

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court A. D. 1888, I. James J. Finn, neaths' in chancer of and court, will on Wednesday, February 8, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north door of the court house on East Wood street, in the city of Decatur, in said country, offer cale at public vadue to the lughest and best bidder, the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, bung described as follows to-set: Lots five (3), air (6), seven (7), in block one (1) of Kanan a Addition to the Cry of Decatur, in Macon county illinous.

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Master In Chancery's Sale. STATE OF ILLINOIS.

Henry Oshler, complanant vs. Mamis E. Grass et al. defendant—In Chancery, No. 1705.

Pablic notice is bereby given, that in pares, ance of a decree of the Granut Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, entered in the above estitled cames at the January term of said court & D. 1899, I. James J. Finn, Master is Chancery of said court, will on In the Circuit Court.

Tuesday, February 21, 1899, at the hour of 20 locky m., at the north door of the Court House on East Wood street, in the City of Decear, in said county, offer for sale at public vender to the highest and flow the theoder for each in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the real estate in and decree ordered to be cold; being described as follows, to-wit; Lot 10 in Block 1 in E. B. Durfse's 5a Addation to the city of Deceatur, Illinois, this 30th day of January, A. D. 1898.

J. J. FINN, Master in Chancery, Alexander Molerosz, Complainant's Soil.

#### Executor's Notice. Ratate of Samuel C. Allen, Deceased

Estate of Samuel C. Allon, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of Samuel C. Allan, late of the country of Macon, and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the country court of Macon country, at the court house in Deceater, at the April term, on the first Mooday in April next, at which ume all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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Public action as hereby given, that in purea ance of a decree of the circuit court of fiscon countr, in the state of Illianus entered in the above suttled cause at the October term of each court, A. D. 1998. I. James J Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will sen

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#### For Union Mission.

the Christian tabernacle on the even- Thursday evening. ing of the 15th for the benefit of the the program.

Canadian Jubilee Singers.

See the big ad. of the Canadian Jubilee Singers in the amusement column on another page. This maginficent company of colored stars will appear at the tabernacle Wednesday evening. Admission only 25 cents. Reserved seat plat now open at Curtis.

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows:
"I was in a most dreadful condition. My I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pan continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately a friend advised trying 'Electric Bittere;' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks and am now a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents per bottle at J. E. King's and C. F. Shilling's Drug Stores.

I was in a most dreadful condition. My mouths and a fine production is promised.

Prayer meeting at College street chapel on Tuesday evening will be led by Mrs. R. G. Wells.

The Brier Missionary society of College street chapel will hold a meeting at the home of Mrs. H. B. Lewis of North College street on Thursday afternoon. Annual election of officers.

MEMORIAL.

Services in memory of the late Elder W. L. Barketyneser were held at the

### SMALLWOOD ESTATE.

inventory Filed in the County Court

by O. B. Gorin-Eichinger Dividend.

of the late Joseph Smallwood, has ness of importance will be transacted. filed in the county court an inventory sionary society of the First M. E. or the real estate and personal prop-erty. The inventory shows that there are 10 pieces of property including a: 640 acre farm in Edgar county, \$1300 February 10. in notes, and \$2291 in personal propety, including diamonds and house. M. E. church will meet at the church Lewis, W. W. Dawson. Sidney Covhold goods. No statement as to the value of the real estate is made, but poor. All members are requested to mington, O. D. Coughlin, L. D. White, the entire estate is estimated to be worth \$131,000. The real estate in in the work. the following pieces of prop-

A farm of 640 acres in Edgar county.

ranklin and East Main

Honse and lot in 100 block West North. House and 52-foot lot at corner of

The business property on East in the hands of J. L. Deck. Church street and Wabash railroad. Prairie next to guu store.

feet on Church at the corner of Cerro afternoon at 3 o'clock

The old Presbyterian parsonage property and the LaForgee property, 60 feet in all, on West North street. The Smallwood flats, 120 feet on

North and 80 feet on Church. Fifty-two feet on East Main, part of

Haymarket lot. Lingering La Grippe Cough Curad.

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CHURCH HEMS

Visiting Divines Conduct

Sunday Services.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

At Grace M. P. and C. P. Churches -Church Calendar for the

Coming Week -Notes.

The fifth week of revival services at the Edward Street Christian church closed last evening. The meetings continue to be attended by large audiences and the interest has not once flagged. They will continue throughout this week and possibly longer. Nine new members were received into the church on Sunday morning, the congregation making the occasion one long to be remembered for the enthusiasm with which the new members were welcomed to the church. There was an old fashioned jubilee lent sermous. His subject for the evening was "The Division of the World." It was illustrated with chart

drawings. This evening Mr. McKnight will talk on "Jewish Tabernacles," illustrating his talk with blackboard draw-

#### DR. MARSHALL

Rev. Thomas Marshall, D. D., of Chicago spoke to large audience at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday, The Delicatessen, No. 256 North both morning and evening. His evenboxes for the people at reasonable Kingdom as Observed in a Journey Around the World." He has just returned from a 15 months' trip around the world and his observations and the manner in which they were related served to keep his audience intensely interested from the beginning to the end of his remarks. Rev. Mr. Marshall left this morning for Danville, Ky., where he will deliver three lec tures this week.

PENHALLEGON IN PANA.

Rev. W. H. Penhallegon will go to Pana on Thursday and will deliver his lecture on "The Personalities and Blunders of a Great Genius" at the ture for action to prohibit the use of A charity concert will be given at Presbyterian church at that place on

The prayer meeting services at the the Decatur club on Saturday. Union Mission. Some of the best First Presbyterian church on Wednes talent of the city will contribute to day evening will be led by ex-Secretary T. W. Stowart of the Y. M. C. A.

The class in literature will meet at the First Presbyterian church on Wednesday afternoon.

Seventy-five of the young people of the First Presbyterian Sunday school will present a cantuta. "The Happy Family of Father Time," at the church on Friday evening. The entertainment is under the direction of Mrs. R. J. Simpson and Professor Westhoff. The Sunday school orchestra will assist. Rehearsals for the cantata have been going on for several months and a fine production is prom-

Prayer meeting at College street chapel on Tuesday evening will be led swinging.

Services in memory of the late Elder

W. I. Berkstresser were held at the Church of God on Sunday morning, | lows: There was a large attendance.

CHURCH NOTES.

There will be a meeting of the official board of the First M. E. church held at the church this evening. Busi-

dence of Mrs. E. B. Randle of North ver medal; third prize, bronze medal. Edward street on Friday evening, The reception committee is com-

The Ladres' Aid society of the First S. McCane, L. A. Bower, Guy P. on Friday afternoon to sew for the ington, Clarence Erwin, C. J. Pen-Le present and come prepared to assist Ira Garver, F. A. Snyder, S. Munson,

The Epworth League of the Sar. gent's chapel will give a musical and literary program at their next meet-The livery stable property on East ing. This will be the first entertainment Adams have been removed from the Heilman & Son. These who are in House and lot at southeast corner of given by the league since its organizationers house block and are now located

The Senior Christian Endeavor society of the First Baptist church will give a special and unique program this evening. The arrangements are

The Roddy property, including 55 of the First Baptist church will meet large and appreciative audience. Mile.

tions of Rev. S. H. Bowyer.

special services at East Park chapel the midnight train for Cincinnati. on Tuesday evening.

The Helping Hand circle of East Park chapel will meet with Mrs. J. T.

Ma G. Vacher, 157 Oegood St., Chica.

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go: My wife had a severe case of he grippe three years ago and it left her with a very bad cough. She tried a bottle of Feley's Honey and Tar and to grave immediate relief. One bottle of the wonderful cured her cough entirely. Now we are never without a bottle of this wonderful was given by the members of the regular services. The program ever without a bottle of this wonderful curied in the house. 35c and W. Bell, N. L. Krone, W. H. direction of Mrs. M. K. Logqu.

The Spyorth League of the General

connic opera company scored a decided The Weman's Prayer Meeting Circle hit at the Grand, appearing before a

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tation as an accomplished actress and A business men's prayer meeting vocalist. The comedians were all will be held at the Baptist church on stars and kept the audience hungry Wednesday evening under the direct for more of their style of fun. The choruses were strong throughout and Rev. S. H Bowyer will conduct the music good. The company left on

sary on Sunday evening. Both the UELAUW SAMANT Senior and Junior leagues took a part and there was special music by the choir. The address was delivered by is Where Brighteyes and Rev. Clarence Reed of Sullivan.

WILL PETITION LEGISLATURE

Woman's Club Takes Action in Sev-

erai Matters - Delegates Appointed. At the regular monthly meeting of

the Woman's club on Saturday after-

noon the action of the Woman's clubs

of the 14th district in petitioning the

state legislature to pass a bill to make

it illegal to use representations of

woman's face or form for advertising

purposes, was heartily indorsed by

the Decatur club, and the co-opera-

tion of the club in fighting against the

practice was pledged. The matter

was presented in a communication

from the officers of the 14th district

federation. It was first taken up in

the Woman's club of Lewiston and the

petition was unanimously passed at

the meeting of the 14th district federa-

tion in January. Since then it has

grown steadily, the numerous cir-

clubs of the state asking for their co-

operation having been acted upon with

A communication from the Quincy

club was also read. The Quincy club

introduced a bill for changing the

constitution so that communities may

be allowed to pay for street sprinkling

by special tax instead of being re-

quired to pay for it as individuals.

A committee consisting of Mrs.

Lillian Keller, Mrs. T. J. Abel and

Miss Grace Moore was appointed to

confer with Senator J. N. C. Shum-

way of this district, asking him to use

tion for the girl's dormitory at the

FEDERATION DELEGATES.

trict federation on February 16 were

Mrs. J. M. Maris, Mrs. Edna Gill-

more, Mrs. W. R. Bresie, Mrs. H. C.

Johns, Miss Mary Lewis. Alternates,

Mrs. Underwood, Mrs. T. J. Evans,

One of the interesting discussions of

the session will be brought out by the

introduction of the matter of endors-

ing the action of the 14th district in

the matter of petitioning the legisla-

woman's face or form in advertising

purposes as adopted and indorsed by

The business meeting was followed

by a spleadid program given by the

Y. M. C. A. RECEPTION

Members Will Entertain the Public

Tuesday Evening at Their Rooms.

The members of the Y. M. C. A.

will hold their annual reception to-

morrow evening at their rooms in the

Columbia block, which have been re-

modeled. The following will be the

Gymnasium, 7:45 to 8:30-Class

drill, apparatus work, fencing, wrest-

ling, hand ball, illuminated club

program for the evening:

Parlors, 8:30 to 9:

Informal, 9 to 10.

Running high jump.

Standing broad jump.

Bar snap.

Bar vault.

High kiels Pull up.

L. L. Bright.

Paino Solo-Miss, Clark.

Reading—Miss Chingan.

Duet-Messrs. Spence.

Piano Solo-Miss Gray.

Vocal Solo-Miss Howard.

CONTESTS.

The athletic contests will be as fol-

Potato Race, one-fourth mile-First

posed of Frank Ewing, C. C. Curtis,

Rem val Notice.

The deutal offices of Hoskins &

The Opera.

Saturday night "The Highwayman"

Musical division of the club.

No formal action was taken.

state university.

appointed as fellows:

son and Mrs. Della Akers.

promptness and vigorous action.

culars and letters sent to the different

Beppe May Land.

THEY STOLE AN OVERCOAT

From the Opera House and were Arrested on Sunday Eventsg-The Case is Before the Grand Jury.

John Deppe and Ova Johnson, better kuown as "Brighteyes." are again locked up in jail. Both boys have given the police a great deal of trouble at different times and new they are being held on a charge of havi. stolen au overcoat.

Earle Rundall, the young man who was in charge of the office in the opera house where coats are checked and opera glasses rented, left the pince for a few moments on Saturday night while the entertainment was in progress and when he returned his overcoat was gone. The matter was reported to the police and last night wants to petition the legislature to Officer Holser arrested Brighteyes and Deppe. An overcoat which answered the description had been sold by thea for \$1. When arrested the boys told a wild story about how they got the coat. They said they were near the depot when a young man came running up to them and handed over the coat, saying he was in trouble and must catch a freight train out of the city and could not take the coat with When questioned closely by his influence in securing an appropria- Marshal Mason the boys got tangled up and their story did not hold good.

Today the case was taken before the grand jury and an effort will be Delegates to the meeting of the dis. made to send the boys to the reform school. Brighteyes has been in trouble many times before and has served several terms in the county jail, and it is believed that his case is a hopeless one. Deppe is one of the boys who recently stole a bicycle lamp from Mrs. Mary Keller, Miss Alice Robin. Bruce Catto.

#### THE STAGE.

Another Week of Fine Attractions at the Grand.

TONIGHT.

The Dazzler comedy will be the comedy at the Grand tonight. It is known to be good because it has been here before. It is up to the Cosgrove & Grant high standard of fun and will be illustrated by good comedians.

THE ELECTRICIAN.

Mr. Charles H. Hall as the Judge in the big comedy drama, "Tom Edson, the Electrician, " has a part just suited to him. He makes one forget all their troubles; you must smile with him if you have to break an engagement to do it. At the Grand Wednesday night. SPECTACULAR.

Saturday evening, February 11, will appear Klaw & Erlauger's mammeth musical comedy and spectacle "Jack and the Beaustalk." There are 80 people with the company.

Mrs. Bunn's Recitat.

The following program will be given by Mrs. Elizabeth K. Bunu, assisted by Miss Jeanette Powers and the Arion quartette at the Congregational church on Tuesday evening, February

The Lass with the Delicate Air-

Serenade (violin obligate)—Schubert Recit Comfort Ye-Haendel. Aria, Every Valley, Messiah-Hacu-

Boat Song-Loeir. The Arion Quartette. Nymphs and Fauns-Bembey. Four Rose Songs-Jesse Gaynor. If I Knew

The Wind Went Wooing the Rose. Because She Kissed It.

My True Lover Gave Me a Rose. Ballade and Polonaise, Viextemps-

Bel Ragic, Semiramide-Rossini. Image of the Rose, Reichshardt-Mrs. Bunn and the Arion Quartette.

Business Change.

I have this day sold to my son, D. W. Heilman, my outire interest in the grocery business in the firm of D. H. debted to the firm will kindly call and in rooms 513, 514 and 515 Millikin settle their accounts at once. At the old store. Thanking you many time: for the favors and kindness shown me for over a score of years and trusting von will extend the same to the new firm, I am respectfully, -3-d6

D. H. Heilman.

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